

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An automatic transmission apparatus comprising, a first member rotating integrally with an input shaft and including a first cylindrical portion  
5 having an inner spline at an inner peripheral surface, a second member including a second cylindrical portion having an outer spline for engaging with the inner spline of the first member and a depressed portion formed on the second member and a clearance, which establishes a communication between an inner portion surrounded by the first and the second members  
10 and an outer portion of the first and the second members, is formed between the depressed portion of the second member and the inner surface of the first member.